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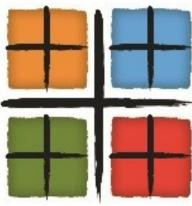
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King Avenue United Methodist Church Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.

Pledge Sunday is October 30. Let's Be ALL-IN!



## **October Preaching Schedule**

October 2

World Communion John Keeny Acts 1:1-9 & Matthew 16:13-20, 24-26\*

October 16

John Keeny Colossians 3:1-17 & Luke 5:17-26\* Additional Service 2:00pm

October 30

*Pledge Sunday* John Keeny Isaiah 52:1-2, 7-10 & Psalm 84\* <u>October 9</u> John Keeny Ephesians 4:22-5:2 & Mark 10:17-27

> October 23 Colleen Ogle Matthew 28:16-20 1 Thessalonians 3:1-13\*

## Fair Trade Coffee & Chocolate Sales

On sale the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month between/after services in the Milling Area and/or Fellowship Hall

## **October Special Offering**

On <u>Sunday, October 2</u>during worship services a special offering will be collected for **World Communion Sunday**, one of the six churchwide special Sundays of The United Methodist Church. Please make checks payable to *King Avenue UMC* and indicate *World Communion* in the memo line. Envelopes, inserted in both services' bulletins, will be available for your use.



## **Additional Worship on Sunday October 16**

Because of the Columbus Marathon, King Avenue will have an additional service on October 16. Our worship services will be held at 9:00am. 11:00am, and 2:00pm. The afternoon service will be in the Sanctuary.

We hope this special service will give everyone an opportunity to get to King Avenue that day!

All routes to the church should be open by the afternoon. Please read below what the marathon planners have told us about access to the church in the morning.



The marathon will likely be affecting roads surrounding the church between 9:00am and noon. If you can get to State Route 315, you should be able to get to church. From the north: Take 315S and get off at King/Kinnear by Lennox From the south: Take 315N and get off at Medical Center Drive/King Avenue From the east or west: Get yourself to 315S or 315N, then follow the above directions!

Please note that westbound King Avenue can be backed up between 315 and the church. Once you are on King Avenue, you may want to consider taking one of the alleys that run parallel on either the north or south of King Avenue. The alley to the north will take you to the Pennsylvania lot. The alley to the south will lead to the Circles and the church lots.

One way or another, we hope to see you at worship on October 16!

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, & FAMILY MINISTRIES by Erin Kendall

#### King Avenue Children, Youth and Family Ministries News

Christmas Eve is coming! Hey all King Avenue Kids Age 4- Grade 5- Christmas is coming and we've got a Christmas Eve Service to deliver. More information will be available soon- keep your eyes open for rehearsal schedule and other details. Parent volunteers will be appreciated to help make the Christmas Eve service a success.

**Time for a KidCheck Check!** Take a moment to check your KidCheck info for your kids. Make sure your contact information is up to date, their pictures are current and medical information (i.e. allergies, diet restrictions, etc) is correct. Let Erin Kendall know if you need assistance in creating or updating your KidCheck account.

Welcoming a little one into your household? Make sure we know the details of your growing family so we can celebrate with you! King Avenue likes to provide support with family visits by our staff, coordinating Meal Trains and making sure your faith family knows about their new brothers and sisters. Please let Erin Kendall, Rev. Keeny or Rev. Ogle know of additions to your family by calling the church office or sending an email to <u>erin@kingave.org</u>.

Keep up with it! Check out King Avenue Children, Youth and Family Ministries Facebook groups. Request to join the groups that apply to your family: King Ave UMC ITP Group (Ages 0-3) King Ave UMC Children's Ministries Facebook Group (Age 4-Grade 5)

King Ave UMC Youth Facebook Group (Grade 6-12)

For more information on Children, Youth and Family Ministries, contact Erin Kendall at <u>erin@kingave.org</u> or by phone at 614.937.4211.

#### October 2016

Happy Fall, Y'all. Here's what's happening in October:

Sun, Oct 2	9am & 11am 10am	Worship Connections @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Godly Play Sunday School @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Youth Sunday School @ Donnenwirth Lounge, Upper Level
Sun, Oct 9	9am & 11am 10am	Worship Connections @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Godly Play Sunday School @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Youth Sunday School @ Donnenwirth Lounge, Upper Level ITP Worship @ Fellowship Hall Classroom, Lower Level
Fri, Oct 14	6:00-8:30pm	<b>ITP Parents' &amp; Caregivers' Evening Out &amp; Social Mixer @ KAUMC- Nursery</b> Drop your little ones (birth - age 4) with our King Ave UMC Childcare Staff and enjoy some time with your significant other or join other KA friends for a Social Mixer (location TBD). Siblings up to age 9 are welcome. \$10 first child/\$5 additional children. (Proceeds benefit KAUMC CYFM Programming) <b>Registration by Wednesday, Oct 12th is required.</b> Link for registration: https://go.kidcheck.com/webforms/eventregistration.aspx? eventid=3917&valid=4d95d05a4fc4eadbc3b9dde67afdca39 Walk-in care will not be avail- able for this event. Space is limited- register by Oct 12 <sup>th</sup> today!
Sun, Oct 16	9am & 11am 10am	*Columbus Marathon Sunday- Traffic Alert!* Worship Connections @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Godly Play Sunday School @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Youth Sunday School @ Donnenwirth Lounge, Upper Level
Fri, Oct 21	7- 9:30pm	Youth Group Fun Night – Watch our Youth Facebook page for details!
Sun, Oct 23	9am & 11am 10am 1:00pm	Worship Connections @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Godly Play Sunday School @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Youth Sunday School @ Donnenwirth Lounge, Upper Level King Avenue UMC's Annual Trunk or Treat & Pumpkin Patch @
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Sun, Oct 30	9am & 11am 10am	Worship Connections @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level Godly Play Sunday School @ Classrooms L4 & L5 - Children's Hallway, Lower Level

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## NEW LIFE UMC by Bill Albright

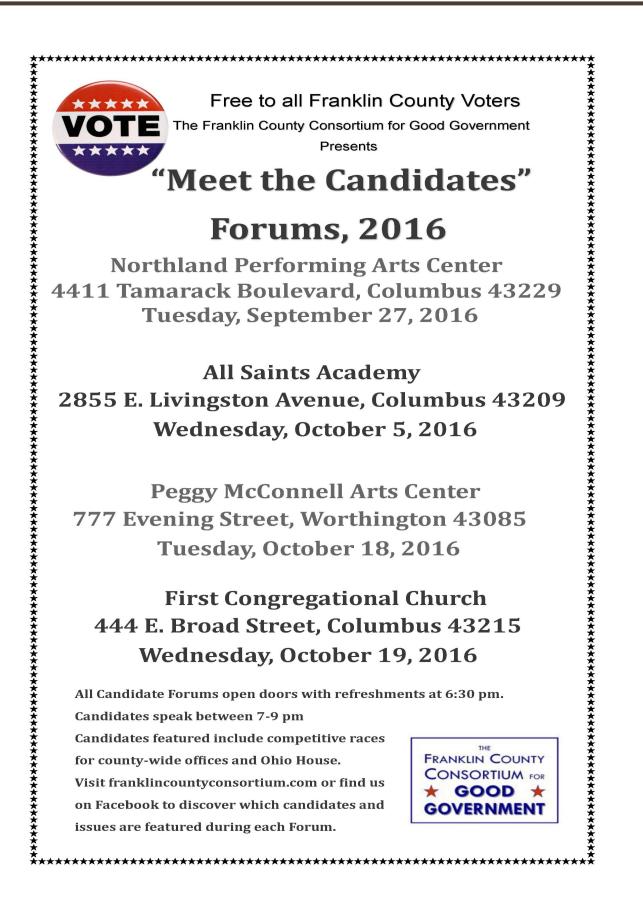


#### Winter Coat Extravaganza

These coats will be distributed through their clothing ministry. Their goal is to have a warm coat for everyone who needs one. Their neighbors are affected by homelessness and a warm coat may be a small thing but in their lives it has a high impact.

We need coats in all sizes for men and women but especially in children sizes. New or gently used coats are gratefully accepted. Please place your donation in the New Life collection box in the hallway behind the parlor. The collection will take place through Sunday October 23, 2016.

## newlifeunitedmethodist.org



What happens when a child comes out to his/her parents? The experience often raises many questions for both the child and for the family. For example:

What does it mean for the family when a child comes out to his/her/their parents? What does it mean for the parents' relationship to their church? What does it mean for the parents' own faith? How do parents navigate their own "coming out" after their children have come out to them?

These questions are among those that will be addressed in the four-session class that will be held on Wednesday evenings from October 19 through November 9 at the Worthington United Methodist Church. The meetings will begin at 7:00 pm and conclude by 8:30 pm. The church is located at 600 High Street, Worthington. Parking is available at the church. Look for signs directing you to "Kids Coming Out" class.

The aims of the group include: Providing a safe place for parents and family members to share their stories about their LGBT sons and daughters and their relationships with them. Offering support and encouragement for parents as they support their child who has come out as lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender. Helping parents navigate relationships in the local congregation in which the parents participate after a child has come out. Supporting parents as they come out as parents of an LGBT child to other family members and friends, and those in the church.

The Rev. Jim Waugh, retired pastor in the West Ohio Conference, will lead the group. Jim and his wife, Carol, have an adult daughter, Lisa, who came out to them several years ago. Jim is also a member of the Steering Committee for the Parents Reconciling Network.

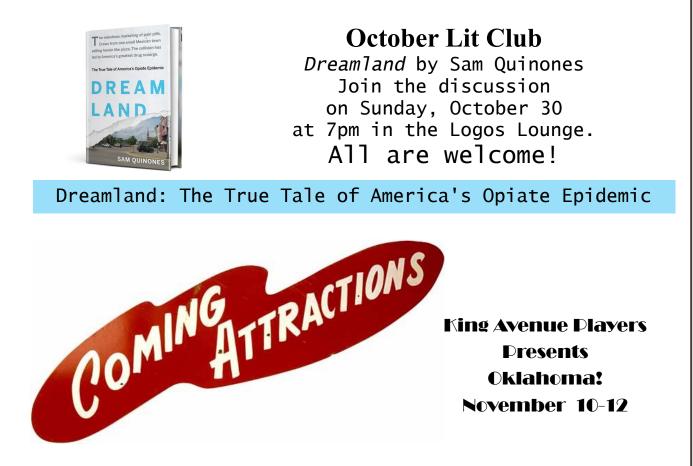
Participants in past groups report that the group was helpful to them. A few comments include:

"Learning about how others have navigated 'coming out' (as parents)." "The brochures/readings as well as general discussion around these topics." "Just being able to share and know there would be no judgment."

## HUBBARD ELEMENTARY PARTNERSHIP by Colleen Ogle



Mark your calendar. School is back in session and the Hubbard Elementary School Partnership is looking for more Reading Buddies. There will be an information/training session for persons interested in becoming a Reading Buddy on Sunday, October 9, 10-11 am in the Art Gallery."



## **Giving Made Easy!**

We are excited to announce that you can now manage your giving online! Giving online is easy and allows you to set up automatic recurring contributions with a debit or credit card and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the Internet. Simply follow these easy steps:

- 1. Visit the church website at <u>www.kingave.org</u>,
- 2. Click on the Give Now button on our home page;
- 3. Click on the Create Profile button, then
- 4. Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions.



Scan now to give!



#### If a birthday has not been listed, please contact the church office, (614) 424-6050.

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1st	Bryan Carpenter
	Amanda Lee
2nd	Sara Adams
	Jon Hayslip
	Jeff Whiteman
3rd	Howard Fradkin
	Andrew Ward
	Andy Yates
4th	Amy Benson
	Tom Lyons
	Tim Teller
5th	Tanya Bender
	Ricky Parsons
6th	Gabriella Compton-Zornes
	Steven Cotter
	Hannah Morris
	Mark Rylance
8th	Jennifer Klosterman-Lando
	Tom Moore
	Kyle Morrison
9th	Mark Blessing
	Bill Callander
	Ericka Gehres
	Kevin Girton
	Todd Ramming
	Doug Rogers
11th	Scott Vaughan
	Jeff Wyckoff
12th	Mary Wilson
13th	Jaime Board
	Teri Derry
14th	Martha Buckalew

14th	Andrew Littlefield
15th	Kevin Zimmerman
16th	Tessa Carrel
	Andrew Mitchell
	Emma Senften-Kendall
17th	Alex Johnson
18th	Chad Bender
	Tammy Diles
	Jeff Johnson
	William Ramming
19th	Blake Geathers
	Kathryn Livingston
	Laura Matthews
	Hope Miller
20th	Jackie Barton
	Lois Dosky
	Erica Hamilton
	Ruby O'Connor
21st	Wally Johns Jr.
22nd	William Brownson
	Lizzy Shockney
23rd	Robin Nau
24th	Kelli Harrison
	Erika Hough
	Isabella Orlandi
	Sophia Orlandi
	Mike Wykoff
25th	Ben Connell
	Jeanette Conrad
	Tiffany Krauss
26th	Raymond Zeliadt
27th	Jennifer Burk

## **October Birthdays (continued)**

Shari Lowes Iamie Sidwell

- 29th Don Snavley
- **30th** Sally Farmer Hannah Fish Dave Hunter
- **31st** Len Confar John Royer



# Find your tools for wellness

## with Wellness Recovery Action Planning (WRAP)

A self-management program for any mental wellness challenge

A six-week interactive group developed by Mary Ellen Copeland, Ph.D., and facilitated by Recovery Guide, Kelli Shoupe and Katie Feick.

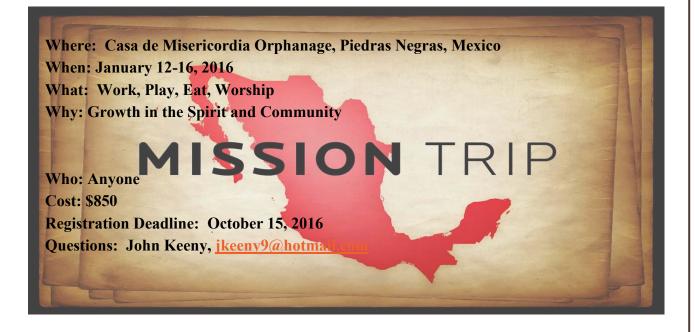
Wrap is offered **at no cost** to adults living in Franklin County.

### Please Pre-register • Seating is limited!

RSVP: Kelli Shoupe • (614) 643-5261 • shoupek@southeastinc.com

Where: King Avenue UMC

October 20, 27, Novemeber 10, 17 December 1





#### King Avenue United Methodist Church Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.

299 King Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43201 www.kingave.org We invite, welcome and honor all people and nurture them to grow in service with Christ.

**Mission Statement** 

#### Worship Services

9am Morning Blend in the Fellowship Hall 11am Traditional Service in the Sanctuary

Senior Pastor	Rev. John Keeny
Associate Pastor	Rev. Colleen Ogle
Pastor Emeritus	Dr. Leonard Confar
Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministrie	es Erin Kendall
Children and Youth Education Coordinator	Gwendolyn DeRosa
Director of Campus Ministry	Chris Cassidy
Director of Music	Chris McManus
<u>Organist</u>	Andrew Willis
Carilloneur	Jeffrey Wyckoff
Office Manager	Amy Ashburn
Building Manager	Bill Meadows
Finance Manager	Diana Sells
Stewardship Secretary	Rebecca Naas
Director of Online Communications	Rhonda Luetje
Sunday Hospitality Coordinator	Marlene Wagonrod